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The Honorable Robert W. Ney, Chairman  
Committee on House Administration  
US House of Representatives  
1309 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Ney:


I hereby register the *Former State Legislative Leaders Working Group* as a Congressional Member Organization (CMO).

The *Former State Legislative Leaders Working Group* will serve to connect House Members with leaders on the state level to discuss public policy issues uppermost in the minds of the states and to study how Congress perceives the role of the states in such critical issues as homeland security, education and various entitlement programs.

The Honorable Nick Smith and I will serve as Co-Chairmen. The staff contacts will be Kurt Schmautz (5-6276) and George F. Shevlin (6-6971) respectively.

I thank you for your time and consideration. Please feel free to contact me or my A.A., George Shevlin, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

  
JOHN B. LARSON  
Member of Congress

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